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12 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
 13 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
 14 SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

15 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, *ex rel.*,  
 16 ROBERT EDWARDS, TA-CHIANG  
 17 HSU, and SHIRLEY ORDWAY,

18 Plaintiffs,

19 v.

20 ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL, SUTTER  
 21 HEALTH, and DOES 1-100, INCLUSIVE,

22 Defendants.

CASE NO. C-03-0825 TEH

~~PROPOSED~~ ORDER SETTING FACT  
 DISCOVERY CUTOFF

Action Filed: February 25, 2003  
 Judge: The Honorable Thelton E. Henderson

Hearing Date: September 25, 2006

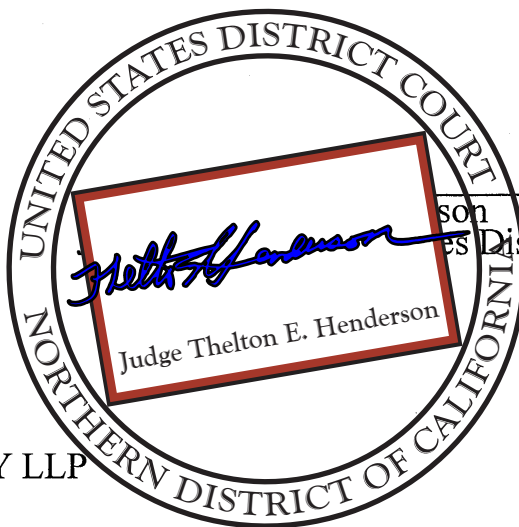
23 The Further Case Management Conference in the above-captioned case came  
 24 on regularly for hearing before this Court on September 25, 2006, the Honorable  
 25 Thelton E. Henderson presiding. Counsel for defendants and relators appeared,  
 26 which appearances are noted in the record.

27 The Court, having read the positions of the parties as set forth in the Joint  
 28 Case Management Conference Statement, and having heard and considered the  
 statements and representations of counsel at the hearing, and finding good cause  
 therefore, hereby ORDERS that the fact discovery cut-off date in this case shall be  
 March 31, 2007. This means that no responses to written discovery shall be due

1 after this date and all fact witness depositions shall be completed by this date. The  
2 Court reminds the parties that this date will not be moved absent substantial cause.

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4 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

5 Dated: October 12, 2006



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